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IN THE CLAIMS

Please find below a listing of all of the pending claims. The status of each claim is set forth in parentheses. This listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the present application.

1. (Currently Amended) A mobile terminal, comprising:

a display screen;

an input system for receiving user input;

a wireless communications subsystem;

a processor;

memory storing computer executable instructions that, when executed by the processor, cause the mobile terminal to perform a method for retrieving data from a server, comprising:

(i) loading a first or second local client executable application for decoding a coded short text messaging system message;

(ii) receiving the coded short text messaging system message from a content provider via the wireless communications subsystem, wherein the coded short text messaging system message comprises compressed data;

(iii) decoding, by the first or second local client executable application, the received short text messaging system message using a set of short codes that comprises short codes unique to the first or second application and instructing the first or second application to translate at least a portion of the received short text messaging system message into a human understandable format, and administrative short codes that are consistent for the first and second applications and used to instruct the first or second application;

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(iv) displaying information based on said received and decoded unique short codes; and

(v) instructing said <u>first or second</u> application based on said administrative short codes.

2. (Original) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the received short text messaging system message comprises a plurality of short codes to identify individual fields of data.

3. (Original) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the human understandable format comprises text in a native language of a user of the mobile terminal.

4. (Original) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the human understandable format comprises graphics.

5. (Previously Presented) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the first or second local client executable application comprises executable code.

6. (Previously Presented) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the computer executable instructions further cause the mobile terminal to perform the method comprising:

receiving a second coded short text messaging system message from the content provider via the wireless communications subsystem, wherein the second coded short text

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messaging system message contains new information updating information in the coded short text messaging system message received in step (ii);

decoding, by the first or second local client executable application, the second received short text messaging system message;

displaying information decoded from the second received short text messaging system message on the display screen; and

flushing from the memory of the mobile terminal information decoded from the coded short text messaging system messages received in step (ii).

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Original) The mobile terminal of claim 1, wherein the short text messaging system comprises SMS.

9. (Original) The mobile terminal of claim 5, wherein the executable code comprises Java.

10. (Previously Presented) A computer readable medium storing first and second client applications in the form of computer executable instructions that, when executed, cause a mobile terminal to perform a method for receiving information relating to a selected topic, comprising:

(i) querying a user of the mobile terminal to select one of a push or pull mode of operation;

(ii) when the user selects the push mode of operation:

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